

IRRIGATION MATTERS

Association Meeting Is Very Well Attended.

SENATOR FULTON SPEAKS

Prominent Municipal and State Officials Address Large Gathering Interested in Great Development Projects of Oregon.

HOOD RIVER, Or., Oct. 11.—The opening session of the meeting of the State Irrigation Association today was well attended, and delegates are here from all over the state, including Eastern and Southern Oregon and Portland. The meeting lasts two days, today and tomorrow, and it is expected the number in attendance will be increased by arrivals this evening.

The afternoon session was called to order at 1:30 o'clock in the Hood River Opera House when A. S. Blowers, Mayor of Hood River, in a short but appropriate address, welcomed the irrigationists to the city.

Mayor Blowers was followed by A. C. Staten, manager of the Farmers' Irrigation Ditch, who, as representative of the Hood River Irrigationists, also delivered an address of welcome and told what was being done in the way of irrigation in Hood River Valley.

Senator Fulton, of Astoria, made an informal talk and Tom Richardson spoke on "Portland's Interest in Irrigation."

It is expected that a number of the speakers will arrive from Eastern Oregon this afternoon and be present for the evening session. F. W. Metcalf, vice-president of the association, is down for a talk. State Engineer Lew-

is will speak on the subject assigned him and Secretary Wilson will read a letter on the subject of irrigation from L. D. West, a well-known engineer of Bend, Or.

Congressman-elect W. R. Ellis is expected to arrive on the westbound overland this afternoon, and may address the convention. The evening session will also include a musical entertainment. Arriving delegates were serenaded at the railroad station by the Hood River band, after which they were escorted to their hotels by the reception committee.

DENVER WANTS BALL GAME.

Will Offer Large Sum for Seventh Game of Series.

DENVER, Oct. 11.—George M. Reid, of this city, has wired Garry Hermann, president of the National Baseball Commission, offering \$10,000 for the seventh game of the world's championship. The message reads:

"In case the seventh game is necessary to decide world's baseball championship, Denver guarantees \$10,000 if played in this city. Weather perfect for ball playing."

The reply came as follows: "Telegram received and noted. Thanks for suggestion and offer. Place of holding deciding game must be decided later at session of commission."

An Awful Cough Cured.

"Two years ago our little girl had a touch of pneumonia, which left her with an awful cough. She had spells of coughing, just like one with the whooping cough, and some thought she would not get well at all. We got a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which acted like a charm. She stopped coughing and got stout and fat," writes Mrs. Ora Brunsard, Brubaker, Ill. This remedy is for sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists.

No sickly women or weak men will ever regret taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Tea or tablets, 35 cents. Frank Hart.

SPAR, DOCK AND DECK

French Bark La Perouse Anchored Off the Bar.

FLEET STORM-BOUND IN PORT

Costa Rica and Artec Waiting to Get Away to San Francisco—Steamship Visigoth Bound Out for China—Jack Moran Quite Ill.

The French bark La Perouse, Captain Corvick, 157 days out from Swansea, with a general cargo and under consignment to Balfour, Guthrie & Company, at Portland, was sighted early yesterday morning, at anchor, three miles north of the Columbia bar. The bar tug Wallula was at once dispatched to her assistance and to bring her in, but found the weather so stiff and bar conditions so rough, that Captain Reed telephoned from Fort Stevens for the Tatooch to join her in the tow, and Captain Bailey responded at once, and both vessels went out after her. On approaching her, it was found that things were altogether too rough to put a pilot or a hawser or both, aboard her, and by common consent it was agreed among the various captains to leave her at her anchorage until this morning, as she was in comparatively safe quarters and would ride easily through the night. They will go to her early this morning and, all things being favorable, will haul her into port.

The Astoria Box company is in receipt of telegraphic information to the effect that the schooner Compeer, chartered to load lumber here, has been so badly damaged through collision as to preclude the possibility of its fulfilling its contract.

Agent Charley Fowler of the Kamm line in this city, is at his old post on the Lurline, vice Purser Jack Moran, who is seriously ill at the Good Samaritan Hospital in Portland. It is hoped Mr. Moran will soon report for duty.

The steamship Costa Rica came down from Portland early yesterday morning and made a stagger at the bar, for San Francisco, but had to turn back and came to an anchor in the lower bay to await smoother conditions.

Hereafter the steamer R. Miller on the Astoria-Cathlamet run up the river, will berth at the Flavel pier instead of, as formerly, at the Callender, maintaining her usual schedule hours of arrival and departure.

The British steamship Visigoth arrived down from the metropolis yesterday morning and cleared for Taku Bar, China, with a cargo of 3,126,000 feet of good Oregon pine lumber.

The steamship Artec was still in port at sundown, yesterday, the bar being slightly too rigorous for a vessel of her tonnage, all day yesterday.

The steamship Roanoke is due to leave the Callender pier at 2 o'clock this afternoon, on her way to Eureka, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

Southeast storm signals were ordered up at the weather station here yesterday morning and the storm made good, as to time and quality.

The steamer Whittier arrived in yesterday from San Francisco, with her customary oleagenous cargo, for this port and Portland.

The steamer F. A. Kilburn will be down from Portland early tomorrow morning for Eureka and San Francisco.

GROVER CLEVELAND TALKS.

Expresses His Views of Present Situation.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The world today publishes a statement by Grover Cleveland on the New York political campaign, which, it states, was written yesterday by the ex-president at his home in Princeton. The statement follows:

"It is difficult for me to overcome my reluctance to express my views of the present political situation in the State of New York and yet I can never lose the interest in her political welfare which has grown out of my long residence there and my active participation in her political movements.

"I confess I was exceedingly surprised by the outcome of the recent Democratic state convention. Though

I was not near enough to be in touch with the incidents leading up to this result, being absent on my vacation and giving little attention to political occurrences, my estimate from the conservative good judgment of the Democrats of the State and my conception of Democratic principles and purposes were such that I was profoundly startled by the election made of a candidate to represent them in the pending canvass.

"Of course every voter of the state must settle with his own conscience in determining his action in this emergency, but I cannot but regard the Democratic situation presented to my old associates in New York as an afflictive one."

WOMAN ASSAULTED AND ROBBED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 11.—As she was walking along Pierce street, near Jackson last night, Miss Helen Salzig, who resides at 2401 Scott street, was suddenly seized by two thugs, one of whom grabbed her by the throat from behind while the other tore from her the purse which hung from her belt. The man also attempted in spite of her screams and frantic efforts to get away from them, to wrest her rings from her fingers. She struggled so violently, however, that they gave up the attempt and finally they heard some approaching pedestrians and took to the woods, leaving her half fainting on the sidewalk.

BEAUTY ENSLAVED

Aspiring Commodity Known in Portland.

CLAIM TO CHARMS VERIFIED

Chicago Beauty's Action Due to Either Temporary Aberration or Well Defined and Successful Attempt to Obtain Advertising.

PORTLAND, Oct. 11.—Miss Elizabeth Magie, the Chicago stenographer who offers to sell herself as a slave because she has "silk underwear tastes and an income which permits only gauze" is well known to J. W. Jackson of Portland.

"I have known Elizabeth ever since she was a little girl," said Mr. Jackson. "I lived at her house for years, and, in fact, was married there. She must be now about 38 years old, but she doesn't show her age. Miss Magie is of dark complexion and very attractive, although she would not be called a beauty. Her father was at one time printing expert for the State of Illinois. Her father is living in Chicago, and her mother in Washington, D. C.

"Miss Magie is abnormally bright and intelligent. She never went to school much, as she hated discipline, but whatever she wanted to learn she learned herself, and quickly. She is one of the best stenographers in the country, yet she never took a lesson from a teacher.

"It cannot be that she is offering herself to secure money. She has always been a money-maker, and when she was 16 years old Elizabeth was earning \$17 a week. The only way I can account for her action is that she has patented a new parlor game and is endeavoring to secure a lot of free advertising to help its sale. She is quite inventive and has patented a number of things. Only recently I heard that she had a new game, and was on her way to Chicago to dispose of it. This may be the reason for her strange advertisement.

"There must be a screw loose somewhere, and her too frank statement will nearly kill her mother. Elizabeth was always odd and showed signs of eccentricity even as a child."

Wounds, Bruises and Burns.

By applying an antiseptic dressing to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, they may be healed without maturation and in about one-third the time required by the old treatment. This is the greatest discovery and triumph of modern surgery. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an anti-septic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness, and prevents any danger of blood poisoning. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering such injuries entail. For sale by Frank Frank and leading druggists.



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